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Order

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Under Section 144 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973

Whereas, reports have been received from the Superintendent of Police (North), Porvorim that criminals with an intention of committing crime in Goa, stay in Hotels with fictitious names and bogus residential/official address, telephone numbers and after commission of crime, it becomes very difficult to locate the culprit on the basis of available information recorded in the Registers of Hotels/Guest Houses/Inns, as on verification it is found to be bogus.

And Whereas, it is necessary that some checks should be put on owners of the Hotels, Restaurants so that terrorists/anti-social elements in the guise of guests/visitors may not cause terrorists/anti-social activities and that immediate action is necessary for the prevention of the same.

Now, therefore, I, R. Mihir Vardhan, District Magistrate, North Goa District in exercise of powers conferred upon me under Section 144 of

Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 do hereby order that owners/management of all Hotels, Lodging and Boarding, Private Guest Houses, Paying Guest Accommodation of all religious bodies, shall not allow any visitors/guests to check in without providing any Photo Identity Proof such as Smart Card, Election Card, Employment Card, ATM Card or any other Photo Identity Card issued by the recognized authority and the In-charge of such accommodation shall provide all such information for inspection to the Police Authority.

This order shall come into force with effect from 12-04-2012 and shall be effective for the period of 60 days upto 10-06-2012 (both days inclusive) unless withdrawn earlier.

Any person contravening this order shall be punishable under Section 188 of the Indian Penal Code.

As the notice cannot be served individually on all concerned, the order is hereby passed ex-parte. It shall be published for information of public through Press and also by affixing copies on the Notice Boards of all Sub-Divisional Magistrates, Mamlatdars and Police Stations.

Given under my hand and seal of this office, 12th day of April, 2012.

R. Mihir Vardhan,
District Magistrate,
North Goa District, Panaji.

Order

No. 4/1/92-MAG(IV)/340

**Under Section 144 of the Code of Criminal
Procedure of 1973**

Whereas, reports have been received from the Superintendent of Police, North, Porvorim that in view of prevailing situation in the country and intelligence inputs regarding terrorist threats to Western Coasts of India, it is necessary to impose restrictions on the commercial places/shops which are popularly known as Cyber Cafes to use the facilities in such places including E-Mail by a large number of people who visit them.

And whereas, it has come to notice that certain anti-social elements/terrorists are using these facilities to mislead the security investigating agencies, create panic in the public, endanger the security of VVIPs and vital installations and help in the terrorist activities, thereby, directly affecting the security of the State.

And whereas, it is necessary to take speedy measures in this behalf to prevent danger to human life or safety, to thwart/prevent terrorist activities, which may affect the security of the State and create disturbance of public order and tranquility.

Now, therefore, I, R. Mihir Vardhan, District Magistrate, North Goa District, in exercise of the powers conferred upon me by Section 144 of Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 do hereby make this written order for strict compliance by the owners of such Cyber Cafes in the entire North Goa District.

- a. Prohibiting the use of Cyber Cafe by unknown person and whose identity has not been established by the owner of the Cafe;
- b. Maintaining a register for identity of the visitor/user;

- c. Make an entry in the handwriting of the visitor/user mentioning name, address, telephone number and identity proof. The visitor/user shall also sign the register kept for this purpose;
- d. The identity of the visitor/user shall be established through identity card, voter card, ration card, driving licence, passport and photo credit card (any one of them);
- e. Activity server log should be preserved in main server and its record should be preserved for atleast six months;
- f. If any activity of the visitor is of a suspicious nature the owner of Cyber Cafe will immediately inform the Police Station; and
- g. Record be maintained about the specific computer used by the person.

This order should come into force w.e.f. 12-04-2012 and shall be effective for a period of 60 days upto 10-06-2012 (both days inclusive) unless withdrawn earlier.

As the notice cannot be served individually on all concerned, the order is hereby passed ex-parte. It shall be published for information of public through Press and also by affixing copies on the Notice Boards of all Sub-Divisional Magistrates, Mamlatdars and Police Stations.

Any person contravening this order shall be punishable under Section 188 of the Indian Penal Code.

Given under my hand and seal of this office, 12th April, 2012.

R. Mihir Vardhan,
District Magistrate,
North Goa District, Panaji.

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